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Price Two Cents

COLD CAUSES FIVE DEATHS

Low Temperature Also Responsible for Much Distress.

FROM COLORADO TO OHIO

People Suffer Intensely From the Unusual Visitation—Telegraph Wires Are Down Throughout the Entire Affected Section and Communication Is Seriously Interrupted—Unique Situation in Kansas and Missouri.

St. Paul, Dec. 9.—Four days of intense cold throughout the northern part of the Mississippi valley has caused suffering and death in latitudes south of St. Paul, and shows signs of continuing for another day.

Five deaths, occurring in widely separated points between Ohio and Colorado and Wyoming, unusual suffering, experienced among the poor in the whole sweep of valley cities, and crippled conditions of public service utilities indicate in part the extent and effect of this uncommon duration of sudden low temperature.

At Des Moines, Ia., John Halkin, a hermit, was found in his shack so badly frozen that he will die. He was lying on the floor when found by neighbors. His legs and arms were frozen stiff. He is reputed wealthy and owns several residences in Des Moines.

At Hanna, Wyo., the driver of a stage between that city and Leo, and his only passenger were found frozen to death on the road after having been lost on the prairie in one of the worst storms ever experienced in that section.

At Bonner Springs, Kan., George King, negro, was frozen to death. At Marion, O., Harvey Thurst, a farm hand, was found frozen to death near Prospect, village suburb. A wife and five children in vain awaited his return home.

At Denver, two men were found unconscious in an alley and will probably die.

The cold was most felt directly south of St. Paul. At Lake City, Minn., the cold snap formed a bridge of thick

ice across Lake Pepin, blocked the river and closed for the first time navigation on the upper Mississippi river until the coming of spring.

At Marshalltown, Ia., rural carriers have been kept within their headquarters for three days.

Cold in South Dakota.

Throughout South Dakota the temperature fell to 17 below at Deadwood, at Lander, Wyo., 20 below, and at Norfolk, Neb., 12 below. Sioux City registered 8 below; Des Moines 3 below, and points continuing southward reported excessive periods of piercing chill.

The Western Union and Postal Telegraph companies reported broken and down wires throughout the entire affected section, and communication through the few channels left has not been easy and uninterrupted for the past twenty-four hours.

The most unique situation of the weather conditions has been developing in Kansas and Missouri during the past twenty-four hours through the failure of the gas companies producing in Kansas to supply towns of that state, while they are supplying St. Joseph, Kansas City and other points, which pay a higher rate, on the Missouri side of the line.

People on the Kansas side have forsaken their gas fixtures and are having coal stoves put up instead, glutting the dealers with fuel orders and keeping plumbers at work overtime to relieve the suffering.

Low temperatures, causing great suffering, were experienced throughout Oklahoma, the Texas Panhandle and Southern Colorado.

TRAIN HITS A CROWDED CAR

Thirty-five Persons Are Hurt in an Accident.

Indianapolis, Dec. 9.—Thirty-five passengers on a street car were injured, none fatally, and few seriously, when the car was struck by a Pennsylvania passenger train at the South street crossing and hurled thirty feet. The car fell on a cement sidewalk and lay across the track, but the engineer stopped his train before hitting it a second time.

Most of those hurt were injured in the panic which followed the crash. Windows were broken and the passengers climbed from the overturned car. Many were sent sprawling to the ground by the struggling mass of humanity beneath them.

Eleven of the injured passengers were taken to St. Vincent's hospital near the scene of the wreck. They are said to be suffering more from the nervous shock than from their wounds.

STRIKE SITUATION IN THE NORTHWEST

Hawley and Gompers to Confer Relative to It.

St. Paul, Dec. 9.—President Frank F. Hawley of the Switchmen's Union of North America left St. Paul for Cincinnati to confer with President Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor relative to the strike situation in the Northwest. Mr. Hawley said that he could not discuss the nature of the coming conference very well, but the opinion is that he will seek to learn definitely the attitude of the federation toward the strike. The switchmen's union belongs to the American Federation of Labor, together with nine other railroad orders, and while the federation has pledged its moral and financial support to the switchmen it is yet to develop what the national organization will do in case that matters in this territory reach a crisis.

The strike situation is practically at a standstill. The strikers continued to insist that the traffic of the railroads was tied up, while the railroad officials were equally as earnest in declaring that they are gaining ground steadily and that the strike is broken. General Manager J. M. Gruber of the Great Northern said that the road was getting into better condition to handle traffic every day.

The report from the Northern Pacific was equally optimistic. There was a report in the general offices that the company was able to handle about 50 per cent of its normal business as compared to a year ago. Conditions were reported to be excellent in Montana, where the weather began to moderate, and all the yards are working.

"The situation is better now than at any time since the strike began," was the statement made by President Hawley before he left for the East. "That applies not only here, but to all points out on the line. Telegrams which we are receiving prove that."

SPENSLEY IS OUT ON BAIL

Friends Sign Bond of Accused Wisconsin Banker.

WILL PRESENT STRANGE CASE

Indicted Man Will Produce Private Memorandum Books of Vice President Allen, Which He Claims Will Contain Complete Detailed Memoranda of the Frauds—Allen Quoted Scripture in Notations of Crooked Transactions.

La Crosse, Wis., Dec. 9.—"I've got a hundred thousand dollars that says 'Cal' Spensley is innocent and the square man I've always believed him, and I'm here to put up that much for bond if necessary."

Tom Ponkin, wealthy retired farmer of Mineral Point, laid his hand affectionately on the shoulder of Spensley in the private chambers of United States Judge Sanborn in Madison when the accused president of the ruined Mineral Point bank appeared to plead.

Spensley clasped the hand of his staunch friend, who had accompanied him and Marshal W. H. Appleby from Mineral Point, and his lips compressed to hide his emotion.

"The court fixes bail bond at \$20,000," said Judge Sanborn, and Ponkin led the rush of friends present to attach their names to the surety for Spensley's appearance for trial. P. M. Bashford, a relative, Jabe Alford and James Nevin, fish commissioners, and Ponkin signed the bond, and, arm in arm with Ponkin, Spensley walked from the chambers with an attitude of dignity and a faint smile on his lips.

Allen's "Biblical Crook Book."

Phil Allen's "Biblical crook book" will be the basis of Spensley's fight for vindication, which he says he will carry on to the end. The president of the bank denied absolutely any wrongdoing in connection with the affairs of the bank. He admitted signing incorrect reports of the bank's condition, but declares he did not examine them because of his implicit faith in Vice President Allen.

He admits overdrafts, but claimed he was not careful about his accounts, depending upon the bank to notify him, but he alleges he never received a statement.

Spensley's defense will present one of the strangest cases in criminal history. He will produce private memorandum books of Vice President Allen, which he claims will contain complete detailed memoranda of the frauds.

It is alleged Allen preceded every notation of his crooked transactions with a Biblical quotation, such as "Jesus wept—note raised from \$600 to \$11,000," and "And the Lord said let there be light, and there was light, certificate of deposit for \$500 used."

Spensley will also attempt to show, it is claimed, that Allen lost the bank's money in Western mining ventures, and that his alleged claims that he did not personally profit by the frauds is not true.

UNDERWEIGHING OF SUGAR

Testimony Shows That It Is Not a New Art.

New York, Dec. 9.—Underweighing sugar and cheating the government out of duty is not a new art, according to testimony introduced as the government continued its prosecution of six former employees of the American Sugar Refining company.

James Conlon, a former customs weigher, testified that, although he had apprised his superiors of the existence of fraud more than ten years ago, nothing was done to punish the guilty persons until after the death of H. O. Havemeyer.

Thomas Kehoe, one of the defendants, was implicated by Conlon's testimony when the latter swore that on two occasions he had seen Kehoe manipulate the scales by a special appliance. He seized the instrument, so he testified, but in the first instance returned it after Kehoe had pleaded with him. Later, he testified, he reported the matter, but it brought no results.

Boy Accidentally Shot.

Montevideo, Minn., Dec. 9.—While Dana Moyer, aged twelve, was playing with a revolver, the gun was accidentally discharged, the bullet going through the palm of his left hand, inflicting a painful, but not serious wound.

Martial Law in Honduras.

Porto Cortez, Honduras, Dec. 9.—Martial law in Honduras has been proclaimed. A state of expectancy exists

Our Ribbon Novelties Will be of especial interest

We received a number of novelties by express yesterday, which were selected from the retail store of Marshall Field & Co., of Chicago. They are neat in the extreme and are not expensive to make. We secured them for your convenience that you might copy them for your gifts. Come in and see them and take patterns.

We hope to be of help to you

Our sales people will gladly assist you in your Christmas shopping if you will ask them to suggest what to make. Come in the mornings for the best service.

Get the Red Cross Stamp at our store

"MICHAEL'S"

W. B. Reduso Corsets Built for Large Women

"Your acquaintances are always much better pleased to talk with you when you have on your best clothes," declared a woman with a dash of cynicism. She might have added, "and when your figure is at its best." The woman too easily inclined to stoutness needs more than her slim sisters to take care of her lines. It is a little trouble to find a corset peculiarly adapted to her need, but once found, the increased comfort of body and interest of mind are certainly worth the effort.

The W. B. Reduso makers produce exactly the right model for just this type of woman. This corset has lines which help her to keep her chest up, her chin and abdomen in, so that she breathes properly. It helps her to grade the hips into longer and slenderer proportions.

Strength is an important factor in the large woman's corset. The Reduso has been given as much strength as is possible. The price is \$3.00.

W. B. Reduso Co.

BEFORE RIVERS AND HARBORS CONGRESS

President Taft Delivers a Lengthy Address.

Washington, Dec. 9.—Speaking in strong endorsement of the policy of waterways improvement, President Taft stirred up much enthusiasm during the opening hours of the sixth convention of the National Rivers and Harbors congress here.

Hundreds of delegates, representing every section of the United States, filled the great banquet hall of the New Willard, where they sat under their state banners. Men and women delegates arose when the arrival of the president was announced and gave their visitor a noisy reception, concluding the demonstration with three cheers and a tiger.

President Taft spoke at length, dwelling upon his interest in the policy of waterway improvement and offered advice to the delegates upon methods for attaining the ends they seek.

President Taft took a position of vantage on the fence regarding the organization's platform for a bond issue for waterways improvement. The president announced himself in favor of securing a declaration from congress for improvements of the Mississippi, Missouri and Ohio rivers, as outlined by the army engineers, and the beginning of work on the projects with appropriations from the current national revenue, leaving the question of a bond issue for a later time.

The president was frequently interrupted by applause and left the hall amid renewed cheering. Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, gave an address at the morning session of the congress. He sketched the rapid growth of Germany's great inland waterway system.

Kaiser Wants No Spectators.

Berlin, Dec. 9.—The chief hunting director has lost his job because he allowed the general public about Goehrdie while the kaiser was pheasant shooting a short time ago. The people were not interfered with, but the kaiser did not care to have his shooting prowess looked upon as a football match or golf tournament for the edification of the mob.

Half of the Family Dead.

Minneapolis, Dec. 9.—Three of his children dead within a week from scarlet fever, a fourth not expected to live, and himself broken with grief at the end of a year during which he has himself been sick, Michael Macadto of this city can see little joy in the coming holidays for himself, his wife and the one little girl who has so far escaped.

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1909.

WEATHER FORECAST
Partly cloudy tonight and Friday.
Slowly rising temperature.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

READ "MICHAEL'S" AD. PAGE 1.

A. Skauge went to Minneapolis
this afternoon on business.

Paul M. Hale, of Deerwood, was a
Brainerd visitor last night.

Magnificent line of brass goods at
H. P. Dunn's. 16012

O. W. McClusky, of Carrington, N.
D., was in the city last night.

Albert Olson, of Valley City, N. D.,
was a Brainerd visitor last night.

Street & Smiths 10c novels, at the
books sale at Louis'. 3 for 25c. 3t

Leon E. Lum has been in Brainerd
the last couple of days on business.

When you want a good lather see
HOFFBAUER, 611 6th St. S. 1)-5m1

A. Gillmour, of Killbuck, is here as
a witness in the Fournier murder
case.

Gilbert Lukens was down from
Hackensack between trains on busi-
ness.

See our line of Xmas Postal cards,
booklets at Louis', 618 Front St. 3t

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Zapfe went to
Minneapolis this morning and will
return tonight.

Miss Freda Wall went to Minne-
apolis this afternoon for a few days
visit with friends.

Our fancy calendars for 1910 from
15c to 75c make very pretty gifts, at
Losey & Dean's. 16013

W. D. Edson, of Duluth, returned
home yesterday afternoon after be-
ing in Brainerd a couple of days on
business.

D. M. Clark & Co. have reopened
their undertaking department, hav-
ing received by express a complete
new line of undertaking supplies
and equipments. 128tf

Miss Irene Swanson, who was op-
erated on for appendicitis was taken
home yesterday. She is getting
along very finely.

Bibles, Hymnals, Rosaries, Catho-
lic and Episcopal prayer books at H.
P. Dunn's. 16012

Frank Albertson went to Henning
this afternoon to hunt "trouble" for
the Northwestern Telephone Ex-
change company.

Jacob Schmidt's bottle beer is de-
licious. We have the agency. Order
a case. Phone 164, John Coates Li-
quor Co. tf

The mercury touched 20 degrees
below zero this morning. Who said
Minnesota could not have an old
fashioned winter.

Hick's Almanac for 1910 now
ready. Get a copy and keep tab on
the weather at Louis'. 16013

The Northern Pacific railroad com-
pany is putting a new men's toilet
room in the Brainerd depot, a much
needed improvement.

Bring in your pictures early while
we have a large line of moulding to
select from—At Losey & Dean's. 13

Mrs. Laura Dresser, of Minneapo-
lis, who had been visiting at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Henry
Long, left today for her home.

Assist in the fight against tuber-
culosis by using Red Cross stamps to
seal your Christmas packages at H.
P. Dunn's. 16012

C. D. Sheldon, of Minneapolis, has
accepted a position as clerk for P. C.
Donavon, who is in charge of the
Longyear interests in this vicinity.

Book sale at Louis'. Get your
xmas books at 1-3 off. 16013

Former Sheriff Bailey, and Thomas
Bailey, of Bemidji, are in the city in
attendance at the Fournier trial.
Thomas Bailey is one of the deputy
state game wardens in Beltrami
county.

The Red Cross stamps sell at
one cent each and the money is
used to fight the white plague in
the state in which the stamps
are sold.

The Swedish United Sons of Amer-
ica will celebrate their second an-
niversary this evening at Walker's
hall, 8 o'clock, with a literary and
musical program. Refreshments will
be served, followed by dancing.

Some swell water colors by Wallace
Nutting from nature. Come and see
them before they are all sold, at Losey
& Dean's.

The Frank E. Long Stock company
is billed for the Brainerd opera house
for the week commencing December
27. The company has been here be-
fore and made good then. As there
have been very few shows this fall
they should draw well.

D. M. Clark & Co. are prepared to
do business again. They are located
in the Gardner block. All orders
will receive prompt attention. 128tf

Dr. D. E. Marcum, of Bemidji, is
in the city, having been summoned
as a witness in the Fournier murder
case. Dr. Marcum was coroner of
Beltrami county at the time of the
finding of the bodies of N. O. Dahl
and his daughter, in 1904.

We have some fine subjects in
sheet pictures. Will frame up to
suit your own selection.—At Losey
& Dean's.

Miss Ivy Stearns, the 11-year old
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W.
Stearns was operated upon at St.
Joseph's hospital for appendicitis
yesterday. She is getting along
nicely and a speedy recovery is ex-
pected.

Post card albums and music rolls
for Christmas gifts at H. P. Dunn's.
16012

Edith and Isabel Betts arrived
yesterday afternoon from Osakis,
where they have been spending the
summer with their grand-father, and
in company with their father, S. S.
Betts, left today for Spokane, Seat-
tle and other western points, on a
trip which will occupy several weeks.

Our entire Christmas line is now
ready for inspection. H. P. Dunn.
16012

"With pleasure, it's a Boy." This
statement signed by the clerk of the
district court, was on a box of cigars
in the attorney's room at the district
court rooms yesterday and W. A. M.
Johnston stepping around spryly and
touching only the high spots. Mother
and son are both doing nicely.
There was a shortage of jurors and
Judge McClenahan was in doubt as
to whether or not to draft the young
man, but concluded not to for a time.

Heaters and cook stoves at less
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Handsome Decorations

The work of decorating the third
story of the Citizens' State bank
building which is being fitted up for
quarters for the Knights of Pythias,
was done by Stromquist & Moyer, of
Duluth, and is a handsome piece of
work. It was designed by H. A. Han-
son, who is employed by the firm.
The work was done under the person-
al supervision of A. W. Stromquist,
the senior member of the firm. The
work is in the latest style and is con-
sidered by all who have seen it as
one of the handsomest, if not the
handsomest piece of work of the kind
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TRAINS TIED UP

**Cold Weather Following Recent Snow
Puts Passenger Trains off
Schedule**

The cold weather following the
snow storm has materially interfered
with passenger traffic. The train
from Duluth was over two hours late
and the train from the west was thirty
minutes late. The one from
the south was over an hour and a
half late. The only passenger train
coming in on time since morning,
was the train from Kelliher, on the
Minnesota & International railway.
It was on the dot.

It was necessary to use a double
header switching in the local yards,
because of the fact that many of the
cars were set in during the soft
weather last week, and were frozen
to the tracks and the waste frozen in
the boxes, making it practically im-
possible for one engine to make any
headway pulling the tracks.

Kills Her Foe of Twenty Years

"The most merciless enemy I had
for 20 years," declares Mrs. James
Duncan, of Haynesville, Me., "was
Dyspepsia. I suffered intensely after
eating or drinking and could scarcely
sleep. After many remedies had
failed and several doctors gave me up,
I tried Electric Bitters, which cured
me completely. Now I can eat any-
thing. I am 70 years old and am
overjoyed to get my health back
again." For Indigestion, Loss of Ap-
petite, Kidney Trouble, Lane Back,
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Only 50c at H. P. Dunn's. tts-w

M. K. SWARTZ

There is no great loss without some gain

As my entire store and contents was burned at the
recent fire [and as my Holiday Goods were
bought before the fire and arrived in Brainerd since,
I must dispose of them at a sacrifice and here is

**Where the People of Brainerd and
Vicinity Come in for the Gain**

as I am disposing of the very nicest and newest lot
of Holiday Goods ever shown the purchasing people
of Brainerd at wholesale prices as I am not ready to
reopen a store at this time only to close out this
entire line of new goods at prices never heard of be-
fore. You will find in this lot of goods the very
latest designs of Silver Plated Ware, Hand Painted
China, Rich Cut Glass, Bibles, Christmas Cards,
Booklets, Leather Goods, Post Cards and Post Card
Albums, Penants and many useful Christmas pres-
ents at such prices as will astonish you as I have
only rented the room for December and all must be
closed out by December 31.

Come early and see this splendid lot of entirely
new goods at about half the value.

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can select your Furs Saturday and make a payment on them and we
will hold them for you until pay day, if you wish.

Remember—We are having this big line of Furs
on display all day Saturday to give you the bene-
fit of a good opportunity to select your Furs for
Christmas Gifts. Remember the time is Saturday

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serve you best—on these
lines we invite your checking
account.

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Will Arrive From Minneapo-
lis by Special Train

BRINERS WILL OWN THE CITY

r a Day Between 250 and 400
Guests are Expected to Take
Part in Shriners' Pilgrimage



The arrangements have practical-
ly all been completed for the meet-
ing in this city on Friday of the
Shrine of Zuhrah Temple which is
being brought here from Minneapo-
lis and which will mark an epoch in
Shrinedom that will long be remem-
bered, especially by the members in
this city, the occasion being an un-
usual one and the honor of the pil-
grimage to Brainerd will be appreci-
ated. The number of guests that
may be expected is variously esti-
mated at from 250 to 400 and the



EDWIN J. FORSTER,
Illustrious Potentate.

bulk of them will arrive by special
train from Minneapolis on Friday
afternoon at 2 o'clock and they will
be met at the train by the Brainerd
city band and the local shriners and
will form for parade, weather condi-
tions permitting, through the busi-
ness center of the city, and later
a drill will be given on Front street.
The arrangements for halls and head-
quarters is covered by the following
which has been issued by the commit-
tee.

Information for Shriners
Headquarters for Shriners will be
at the K. of P. hall, on the third
floor of the Citizens State bank
building, afternoon and evening. Al-



FRANK J. MEYST,
Chief Rabban.

so at the Ransford hotel, the Com-
mercial club rooms and Elks' hall
during the afternoon.

Register. Every Shriner is re-
quested to register, immediately on
arrival in the city, or as soon as pos-
sible thereafter, at the Ransford hotel
where a committee will be in
waiting in the lobby for the distribu-
tion of souvenir badges. You must
register to secure a badge, and you
will want the badge.

The street parade will take place
immediately after the arrival of the
special train from Minneapolis,
which is expected about 2:30 p. m.
All Shriners and Novices are request-
ed to be at the station to meet the
train. Shriners, wear your fez.

Headquarters of F. H. Forbes, re-
corder of Zuhrah Temple, will be at
the Commercial Club rooms, just west
of the Ransford hotel. Candidates
are requested to call between 4 and
6 p. m.

Supper. Arrangements have been
made to commence serving supper
promptly at 5 p. m. at the Ransford

hotel, City hotel and the Ideal Cafe,
all conveniently located on Front
street. Get there as early as pos-
sible.

The Official Divan, the Drill Corps
and the candidates will be served
supper at the new K. P. lodge room
on the third floor of the new Citi-
zens State bank building at 5:30.

The Faithful will assemble for
their devotion at 7:30 p. m. at Gard-
ner hall, corner of Laurel and Fifth
streets. Wear your fez. Check
room for coats, hats and rubbers on
the ground floor at the left of the
entrance.

Luncheon will be served in the K.
of P. banquet hall on the third floor
of the Citizens State bank building,
and will be served continuously com-
mencing at 10 p. m.

General Information. If there is
anything else you want to know do
not hesitate to ask any Brainerd
Noble. Consider every local Shriner
a bureau of information, and what-
ever you do, enjoy yourselves.



The coming of the Shrine of Zuh-
rah Temple to this city on Friday of
the present week has been heralded
to the members of the order in the
Twin Cities an the entire northwest
is a neat folder which gives a com-
plete outline of what is expected and
a guess as to what will happen along
certain lines, and among the things
mentioned in the circular of the pil-
grimage we copy the following.

Noble: Take Heed!
"Your Illustrious Potentate pro-
claims to you that it has been de-
creed, that the Shrine of Zuhrah
Temple A. A. O. N. M. S., shall be
carried to, and set up in the City of
Brainerd, in the Wilderness of Min-
nesota, on the 27th day of the elev-
enth month, Duh'l Kaada, A. H. 1327.
Or, in plain language, on the 10th
day of December, 1909, and that the
Faithful will assemble for their devo-
tions at the hour of 7:30 o'clock P.
M., on that day in that City.

There have been rounded up an
interesting bunch of heathen whose
strong desire it is to be admitted to
our Shrine. They have each put in
the Slot the requisite amount towards
the expenses of the Ceremony, and
are anxiously waiting to see what
will come out.

Backward, turn backward, O time in
your flight

Make us all boys again, just for a
night;

Kid us and grant us our tenderest
hope

That many a Novice will slide down
the slope

While doing his darndest to hang on
to the rope.

I mean business.

EDWIN J. FOSTER,
Illustrious Potentate."

Indeed you do

FRANK H. FORBES,
Recorder.

To Candidates

The officers of this Temple will
boss the Job on this occasion. Some
day you may be Boss; but not now,
no, not now.

you are not to get angry when kick-
ed,

You are not to kick when you get
angry.

Now is the appointed time. And
the thought of passing over the Dark
River without being a Shriner is too
awful to contemplate. All our im-
plements of Amusement are bound to
please. They have been repaired,
renovated and silverplated, and guar-

anteed to run smoothly and to the
finish.

Get your sister-in-law to stay with
your wife. You can tell her all
about it at breakfast in the morning.

If you want to make your journey
easy, seek the director as soon as you
reach town, and take him and his
assistants out to lunch.

Especially effort will be made to
vary the monotony of the journey
across the desert by such innocent
and rational amusements as comport
with the decorum of so sublime a
pilgrimage.

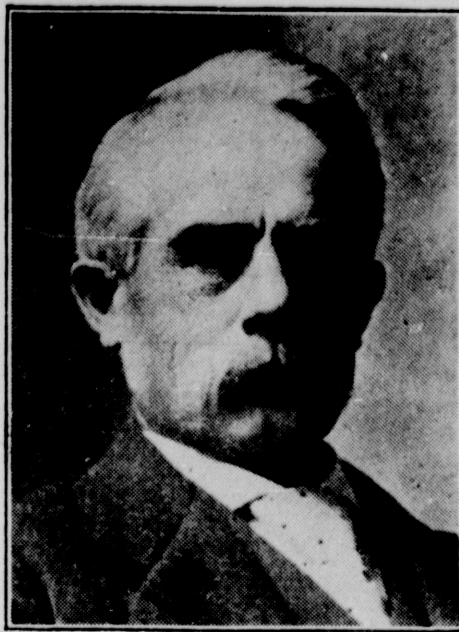
Cultivate the acquaintance of the
Recorder at sharp 5 o'clock in Hotel
Ransford with your long green. It
takes money to see the big show and
he who coughs up freely gets all
that's coming to him—and then some.

How to Find the Place

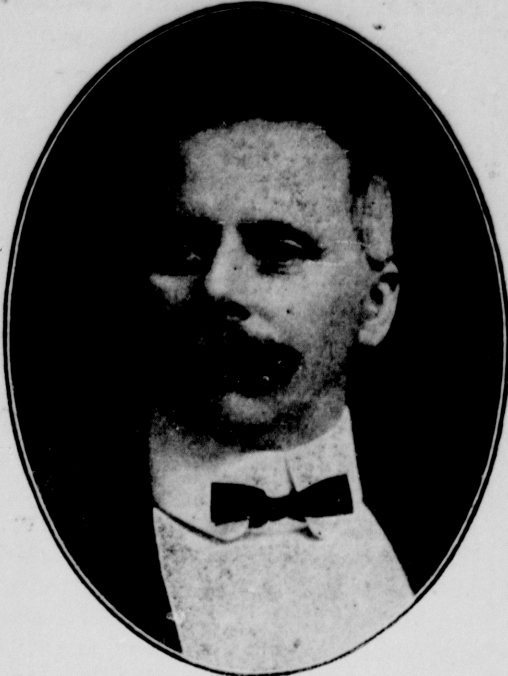
Brainerd is a delightful summer
and winter resort with ever increas-
ing aspirations. Pleasantly en-
sconced on a high commanding wood-
ed knoll on the banks of the placid
Mississippi, it forms a charming
suburb of Bemidji.

Brainerd can be more easily lo-
cated by securing a copy of Willard
Glaziers hand-book "The Undisputed
Source of the Mighty Mississippi,"
read carefully, find the source if you
can, then embark at that point and

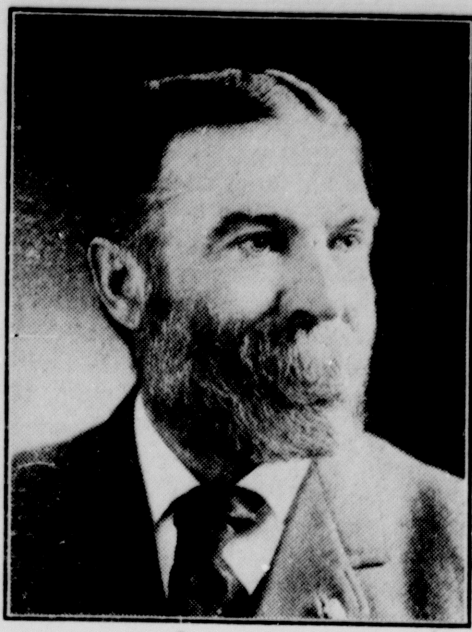
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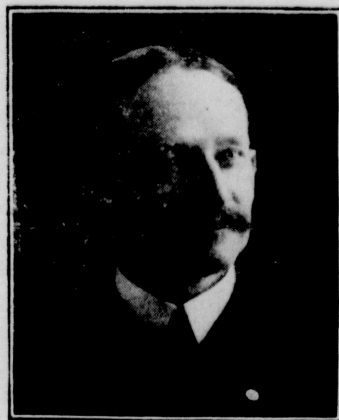
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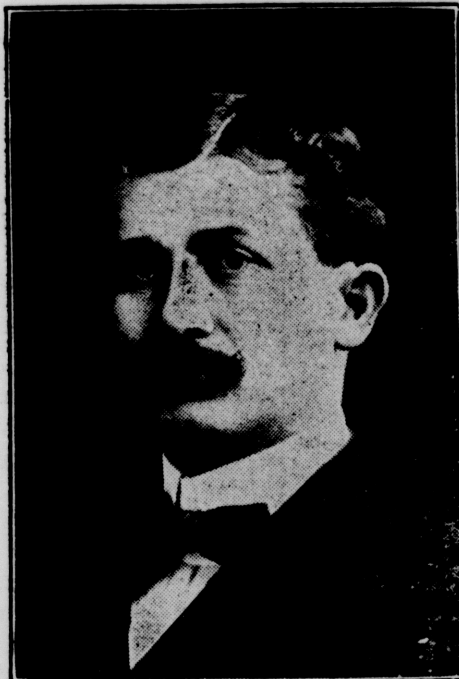
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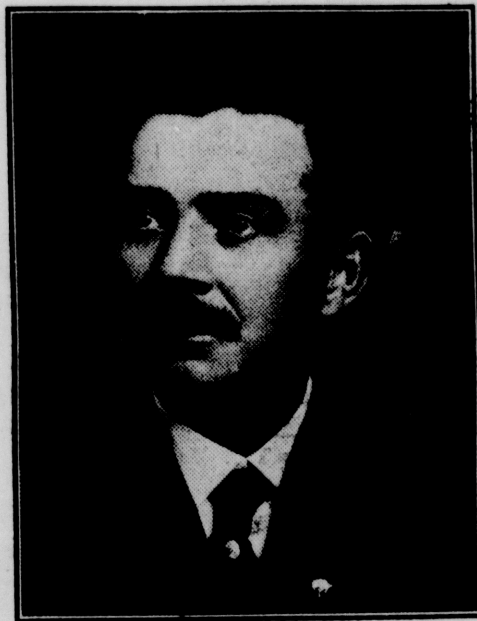
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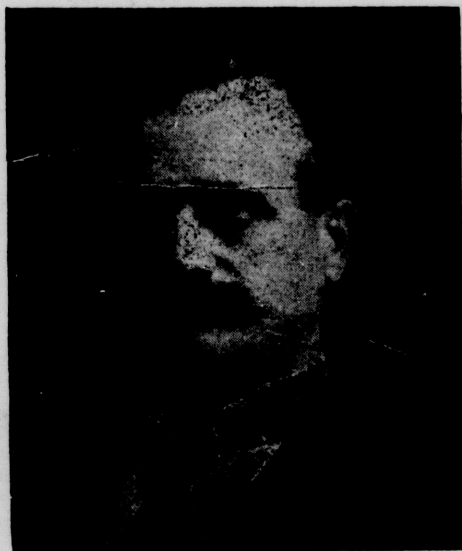
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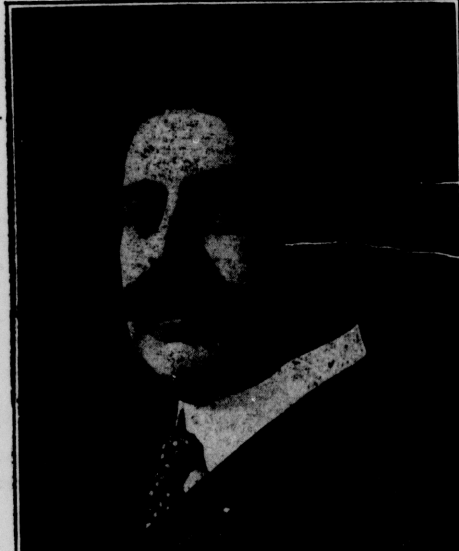
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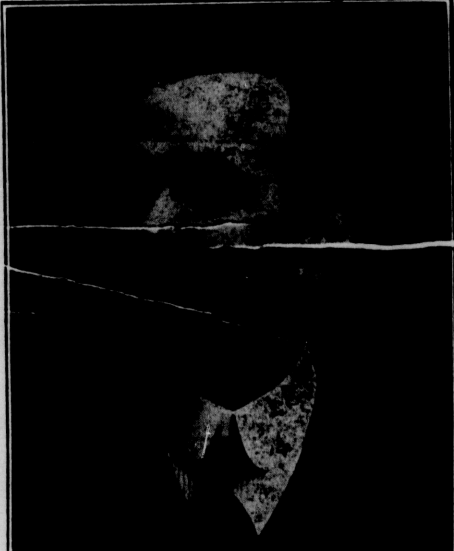
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A. J. HALSTED.



HENRY I. COHEN.



N. H. INGERSOLL.



You will like this ride.

attention at the Louisville meeting
and which, out of about forty such
organizations in attendance, was the
one selected by the Executive Com-
mittee to give an exhibition drill at
the Fair Grounds, and were given
the right of the line in the Grand
Review. They will be in evidence
at Brainerd. Capt. A. M. Shuey will
be in command. He has the honor
now of holding the longest contin-
uous membership in our Temple.

Brainerd has contracted the habit
of having numerous big fires so that
one of its citizens answered an ad-

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Holiday Prices for Holiday Shoppers

Why Not Buy Your Presents From Us?

Some of the Things to Choose From

Pianos \$175 up Organs \$45 up Player Rolls \$.75 up	Talking Machines \$10 up Records \$.35 up	Violin Mandolin Guitar Outfits Complete \$4.00 up	Music Bags and Rolls \$.75 up Music Cabinets \$7.00 up	Holton Band Instruments Music Racks \$.75 to \$2.50	Sheet Music and Books \$.10 up Piano Benches and Stools \$1.50 up
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Address Dept. D

STONE PIANO COMPANY

Established 1894

Fargo Ware Rooms
Stone Block

Grand Forks Ware Rooms
16 S. Third St.

Send me Catalogue
of _____

Name _____

Address _____

CAMELS MILK PLENTY IN BRAINERD

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vertisement which offered a fire escape for \$2.00. He sent the money and received a copy of the New Testament.

What the Shrine is and Why it Exists
"The Shrine is a secret order with few mysteries. It is secret, not that it has aught to conceal, but simply that it may choose its own associates and have a way and means of distinguishing and separating them from the 'Crowd of Common Men.' It is one big family of brothers, and has the same right to protection from the public as has the household. Its membership is composed of our best citizens, moral, upright, virtuous, law abiding fathers, husbands, sons and brothers, and all of them Masons in good standing. Their love and respect of the Order is sufficient guarantee of its honest and good purpose. 'Our claim is that we are here to fill what is known as a 'long felt



Beware the Headsman, he will be in Evidence.

want." That our mission is to do all that in our power lies to cause men to forget their worries, troubles and cares of life and look upon the bright side, giving them somewhat of hope and joy, and send them out into the world, better prepared to withstand its rebuffs and disappointments.

"We believe that it is better to be happy than to be sorrowful, better to be mirthful than to be miserable; we believe in doing all that we can to help our brothers cast off the carking cares of life."

Official Divan 1909

Illustrious Potentate—Edwin J. Forster.
Chief Rabban—Frank J. Meyst.
Assistant Rabban—Frank C. Berry.
High Priest and Prophet—Herbert B. Lake.
Oriental Guide—A. L. Frazer.
Treasurer—Archibald A. Crane.
Recorder—Frank H. Forbes.
Director—Arthur B. Chamberlin.
First Ceremonial Master—H. Fletcher Fankhauser.
Second Ceremonial Master—Thomas Voegeli.
Marshal—William H. Crilly.
Captain of the Guard—Fred R. Salisbury.
Outer Guard—Vivian D. Jones.
Assistant Outer Guard—Ulysses G. Herrick.
Assistant Outer Guard—William H. Hoit.
Orator—Horace D. Dickinson.

COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS

Proceedings of the County Commissioners, Meeting Held December 7th, 1909.

Meeting called to order at 10 o'clock a. m.

All members present except Commissioner Keinow.
Minutes of last regular meeting read and approved.

Letter was read from H. I. Cohen in regard to policies of insurance soon to expire. No definite action was taken.

A reply from General Manager Gemmell was read in regard to the \$800.00 to be paid into the county ditch fund by the railway company. He suggested a resolution be passed by the board and then the money would be paid over. Whereupon Commissioner Krech offered the following resolution and moved its adoption: Be it resolved that on a full payment of the sum of \$800.00 by the Minnesota & International Railway

remove the child to the state school at Owatonna if possible.
Requisition for supplies at the farm for the ensuing month was read and approved.



No lack of Camel's Milk

The following report of the farm for November was accepted and filed: Receipts by sale of wood and produce \$123 14
By board of carpenter crew 24 16
Disbursement for labor 76 00
Bills pending 92 58
Number of inmates 2
Credit by keep of same 27 days at 40 cents 10 80
W. D. McKay presented a request for an abatement of his assessment on lots 3-4-5, block 45 on account of loss by fire. The board asked for more time to consider this matter.

The board adjourned until 3 p. m. All members present.

Daniel Waite appeared before the board and proposed to enter into negotiations for the purchase of the county land in section 33 township 45 range 30. It was decided to take time to consider the matter.

Pursuant to notice, petition for change in county road in section 26 township 137, range 29 came up for final hearing. A remonstrance signed by 30 residents of that locality was read, also report of the committee appointed to view the route of said road. This committee re-



One of the Little Fellows

ported adversely, and a motion was made and carried to accept the report of the committee and reject the petition.

Final hearing was had on petition for new road in township 134, range 29, known as the "Emmons Road," extending from the Gull lake road near the quarter post between section 23 and 24 and extending north and thence northeasterly to the south end of the bridge across Long Lake narrows. The committee appointed to view this route reported in favor of the same and there being no remonstrance, a motion was made and duly carried granting the petition and ordering a survey.

Commissioner Poppenberg reported on the condition of road at Mike Gordon's place in section 2, township 134, range 28. He recommended that a certain piece of road that had already been laid out around this portion to be opened up in the spring. It was reported to the board that

the decking on the Deerwood bridge across the Mississippi was out of repair. Upon motion the matter was referred to Mr. Edquist with power to act.

In regard to the payment of bills for labor and material on the barn at the farm, a motion was made and carried to call a special meeting December 18th at 8 o'clock p. m. and notify the contractor and bondsmen and all parties interested to appear to have the matter settled and all bills paid.

The question of putting on omitted taxes for the past six years and correcting the tax lists by means of records from the government land office recently purchased by the board was discussed. The county attorney advised that no further authority was needed by the auditor than the statute covering this point.

Upon motion an appropriation of \$200.00 was set aside from the general revenue fund as a contingent fund for the county attorney.

The recent report of the public examiner's on the county offices was read and it was decided to comply with the suggestions so far as practicable.

An application for road money from residents of the town of Klondike was received and placed on file.

A motion was made and duly carried instructing the auditor to ad-

L. Stewart, lumber for repairs at jail.....	2 30
Brainerd Ice Co., ice for court house.....	13 00
William Bourquin, putting up storm windows at court house and jail.....	6 10
C. M. Patek, matting for court room.....	2 50
Osborn & Ralston, sawing wood at jail.....	7 25
Brainerd Dispatch, printing Brainerd Tribune, printing J. A. Wilson, (2 bills) expense visiting schools.....	6 75
Irma Warner, taking testimony coroner's inquest at Deerwood.....	20 32
Dr. Reid, autopsy on body of James Gallagher.....	14 00
A. Purdy, livery for sheriff.....	10:00
Brainerd Steam Laundry, laundry for the jail.....	5 00
F. J. Reid, boarding prisoners F. J. Reid, expense as sheriff.....	2 25
Claus Theorin, deputy sheriff, expense state cases.....	75 60
Aug. Donitz, township plats and field notes.....	11 35
McGill Warner & Co., blanks for coroner.....	11 50
Miller Davis Printing Co., blanks for Supt. of schools.....	400 00
Fritz & Cross, books for sheriff.....	6 75
	9 00

W. F. Holst, balance on wagon for farm.....
John Carlson, blankets for jail.....
D. M. Clark & Co., burial of paupers.....
Bill of R. B. Mooney, deputy ner for \$27.20, reduced to \$20.2
Bill of L. E. Garrison, county veyor for \$47.50, reduced to \$4
Bill of R. K. Whitely, eng on judicial ditch No. 1 for \$21.35
duced to \$15.00.
On motion meeting adjourned til December 18th at 8 o'clock p
J. F. SMART,
County Aud

Auxiliary A. O. H. Elects

At their regular meeting Monday evening the Ladies' Auxiliary of A. O. H. elected the following officers: Division President—Mary J. R. ly.
Vice President—Ellen O'Brien.
Recording Sec.—Jennie Hawk.
Financial Sec.—Margaret McG ry.
Treasurer—Celia Rowley.
Sergt. at Arms—Anna B. O'C ner.
Sentry—Mary Murphy.
Chaplain—Rev. J. J. O'Mahon

Anti-Saloon League

Sunday, December 12th the Minnesota Anti-Saloon league will have its field-day in the city of Brainerd. Dr. E. C. Clemans visited our city some weeks ago and made arrangements with the churches for speakers. According to the schedule for the various churches on Sunday morning the speakers are, Congregtional church, P. J. Youngdall, state superintendent; Baptist church, A. H. Clarke, assistant superintendent; Presbyterian church, Willis Norton, attorney; M. E. church, C. Clemans, district superintendent; Swedish Lutheran church, Fred Norquist, secretary Scandinavian department; Swedish Baptist church, Carl Walden, superintendent N. W. district.

In the evening of the 12th, a general Union service will be held in which all the churches are to unite at the Brainerd opera house. The League is very desirous that on that day it may make itself felt in Crow Wing county. The men will come fresh from the great annual convention at Chicago, and will have many things to say.

After the election last November a year ago, many people professed to think that the League had received a jolt which would practically put it out of business, but such a conclusion was at least premature.

Since April 30th, when the present superintendent was elected, many significant events have taken place. The force, which had been reduced after the campaign, is at the present time larger than it has ever been in the history of the League and is made up of trained and seasoned anti-saloon fighters. Next Sunday let all attend, who possibly can, that we may secure all the help and enthusiasm possible, making doubly sure the victory in Minnesota, on the 1st Tuesday after the 1st Monday in November, 1910.

LOCAL COMMITTEE of Anti-Saloon League.

Young Girls are Victims

of headache, as well as older women, but all get quick relief and prompt cure from Dr. King's New Life Pills, the world's best remedy for sick and nervous headaches. They make pure blood, and strong nerves and build up your health. Try them. 25c at H. P. Dunn's drug store. tts-w

Limbering up.

Jumping the Electric Wire



One of the stunts that makes a Novice glad he is alive.

vertise for bids for a janitor at the court house, manager at farm, burial of paupers, county printing and county physician for the ensuing year.

A motion was made to reconsider the action of the board at the November meeting allowing a bill of \$13.00 to R. K. Whitely at \$8.00 and a motion carried to allow the bill in full.

The following bills were allowed:

C. A. Krech, mileage 12 meetings.....	\$ 14 40
G. F. Edquist mileage 6 meetings.....	12 00
F. W. Keinow, mileage 6 meetings.....	15 60
J. A. Erickson, mileage 12 meetings.....	2 40
Henry Poppenberg, mileage 12 meetings.....	2 40
City of Brainerd, electric light rental for court house and jail.....	27 50
S. F. Alderman, receiver water rental.....	25 00
N. H. Ingersoll, P. M., stamped envelopes.....	10 87
Town of Jenkins, one half expense contagious disease.....	12 78
Oscar Erickson, taking care of prisoners at Deerwood.....	6 64
Slipp-Gruenhagen Co., supplies.....	57 65
John Larson, coal for jail.....	40 61

W. M. Welch Mfg. Co., registers for supt. of schools.....	37 50
George Oaks, road work.....	5 25
Freddie Stropp, road work.....	3 75
F. C. Peabody, road work.....	6 10
O. E. Stien, road work.....	19 00
F. J. Stropp, road work.....	15 00
John Peterson, road work.....	31 90
G. W. Chadbourne, insurance premium on farm buildings.....	184 50
Farmers Mutual Insurance Co. of Klondike, insurance premium on farm buildings and stock.....	3 60
N. W. Telephone Exchange Co., rental at farm.....	3 00
Slipp-Gruenhagen Co., supplies for farm.....	70
White Bros., supplies for farm.....	10 50
Mahlum Lumber Co., lumber for farm.....	1 25
Felix Graham, supplies for farm.....	1 80
John Carlson, overshoes for inmate at farm.....	2 25
Joseph Vanek, sawing wood for farm.....	3 00
Chas. Holst, blacksmithing for farm.....	14 25
C. E. Wheeler, 15 cords wood for court house and jail.....	90 00
Walter Dickson, labor at farm.....	26 00
Brockway and Parker, supplies for farm.....	30 33

H. P. DUNN, The Druggist.

HAS THE

Greatest of all Christmas Displays

Now Ready for Inspection

We have made a special effort to make every department complete in every detail, and as we have bought direct from the manufacturers we are enabled to give you the benefit of very reasonable prices.

Phone 604. **H. P. DUNN** 604 Front St.

STRIKE BREAKERS ARRIVED LAST NIGHT

Switchmen Put to Work Here,
30 Sent to Staples and 40 to
Livingston

TROUBLE IS APPREHENDED

Yards Have Been Manned by Train-
masters and Yardmasters Since
Strike Began

The first strike breakers imported to Brainerd during the switchmen's strike, arrived here last night. They came up in a sleeping car of the Washington & Columbia River Railway, which was set into the yards as a boarding car for them. Six of the men brought up last night were assigned to man the Brainerd yards and thirty were sent to Staples and forty to Livingston, Mont. Everything is very quiet in the city and no trouble is apprehended here.

Station Agent Mosier states that everything is moving and the normal amount of freight is being received. On the other hand some of the dray men and business men report but a small portion of the freight ordered coming through promptly.

The local yards, up to this time have been handled by yard masters and train masters.

Four special policemen were appointed by Mayor Ousdahl last night at the request of the Northern Pacific railway company, and three assigned to day duty and one to night duty. The men will be paid by the company. Those appointed were B. Wilson, S. Bourquin, J. L. Daniels and L. J. Paddock.

A Lecture on Christmas Science

Hon. Clarence E. Eaton, a member of the Christian Science Board of Lectureship, will lecture at the opera house Friday, December 10th at 8 o'clock p. m. All seats free. The public is cordially invited.

A Scalded Boy's Shrieks

Corrified his grandmother, Mrs. Maria Taylor, of Nebo, Ky., who writes that when all thought he would die, Bucken's Arnica Salve wholly cured him. Arnica Salve cures Burns, Scalds, Cuts, Wounds, Bruises, Cures Fever-sores, Boils, Skin Eruptions, Chills, Chapped Hands. Soon routs Piles. 25c at H. P. Dunn's.

The Dispatch want ads pay.

HAD STRENUOUS TIME

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Zapffe Have Ad-
ventures by Flood and Field on
Wedding Trip

Carl Zapffe, the well known geologist of the Northern Pacific railway company, arrived in this city with his bride Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Zapffe and Miss Ethel Moberg, formerly of this city, were united in marriage at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Moberg, Mt. Vernon, Wash., on December 1st. They were caught in the western floods, which were at their height at that time around Mt. Vernon. The roads were washed out and several townships under water. In an attempt to get to the railroad to come east they were compelled to take a river steam boat and then ran aground. They were three days or near that, getting over what should have been but five hours journey. Finally, however, they got across the flooded district where they got a through train for the east. They are at present guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Grewcox, but will in a few days go to housekeeping in the fine new cottage erected and partially furnished by Mr. Zapffe for his bride prior to the wedding. A host of friends will join the Dispatch in extending hearty congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Zapffe.

Catarrah Cannot be Cured
with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrah is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it, you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrah Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrah Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrah. Send for testimonials free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O.
Sold by druggists, price 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Hibernians Elect
The following are the officers of Division No. 1, Ancient Order of Hibernians, elected at their regular meeting Wednesday night:

Pres.—Wm. Barron.
Vice Pres.—B. C. McNamara.
Rec. Sec.—R. F. Barron.
Fin. and Ins. Sec.—J. J. Nolan.
Treas.—T. Twohey.
Sgt. at Arms.—J. McCarthy, Jr.
Sentinel.—B. McGill.
Marshall.—D. M. Clark.
Chaplain.—Rev. J. J. O'Mahoney.

WILL TAKE OVER WATER WORKS PLANT

Date Set for Turning Plant Over to
City will be Between Christmas
and New Year

NO DEFINITE PLANS AS YET

Chairman of Water and Light Board
States that no Improvement
has Been Mapped Out

The last act in the drama of taking over the plant of the Minnesota Waterworks Company, will be enacted during the last week in December of the present year. The bonds of the city have been sold, the money received and placed in the First National bank and the Citizen's State bank, about \$30,000 in each, and all is in readiness for the formal transfer of the plant to the city. This will take place according to the present understanding, between the 27th and 31st days of the month. This will give the city the revenues of the plant for the quarter commencing on the 1st day of January, 1910.

M. T. Dunn, chairman of the Water and Light Board, states that there have been no plans formulated as yet for the improvement of the plant after it is turned over to the board, but there is no doubt that it will be improved as soon as possible.

SPECIAL VENIRE MAY BE EXHAUSTED

First Seven Names Drawn out of
Venire of 40 Gives But one
Juror

DAVID E. ROBBINS INDICTED

Held on Two Charges of Carnal
Knowledge and Abuse of Fe-
male Child

The trial of Paul Fournier, for the murder of N. O. Dahl, was resumed in the district court today. There was a special venire of 40 jurors summoned to appear this morning and the present indications are that it may not be sufficient to secure a jury. Four jurymen were secured from the regular panel and only one was secured from the first seven of the special venire selected. Following the same ratio the venire will fail to furnish the full twelve.

Two indictments were returned today against David E. Robbins, charging him with carnal knowledge and abuse of a female child under 18 years of age. The victim was the same in both cases, Lucy E. Shontell, a sister of Robbins' wife. The first crime is alleged to have been committed in June 1907, when the girl was under twelve years of age and the second in April, 1909, when she was under 14 years of age. Robbins was arrested in North Dakota early in the fall and has been confined in the county jail here since.

The last half of the forenoon session was more prolific of results in the matter of getting jurors and six examined furnished two jurors. No one will even hazard a guess as to when the jury will be completed and the actual trial of the case begun.

The following are the seven jurors secured up to the noon adjournment today:

R. B. Terry, farmer, Dean Lake.
Wm. Elmore, blacksmith, Deerwood.
Gustav Menz, farmer, Brainerd.
Joseph Friedsam, farmer, Loerch.
Alvin Young, farmer, Crow Wing Lake.

The following are the names of the special venire of jurors summoned in the Fournier case:

O. Edwards, Brainerd.
A. W. Gage, Long Lake.
A. L. Sinclair, Long Lake.
Bert Busby, Long Lake.
Geo. Marcumb, Long Lake.
Geo. McCulloch, Oak Lawn.
Herman Peterson, Deerwood.
John Barry, Brainerd.
W. S. Smith, Brainerd.
J. W. Anderson, Brainerd.
John Sandgren, Brainerd.
Carl Wheeler, Oak Lawn.
Bert Thompson, Long Lake.
Duncan Thompson, Long Lake.
P. S. Taylor, Long Lake.
Joe Goller, Nokay Lake.
Albert Thorston, Nokay Lake.
Martin Elde, Nokay Lake.
N. G. Nelshelm, Long Lake.
Ludger Garron, Long Lake.
Ole Larson, Crow Wing.
Peter Anderson, Crow Wing.
W. L. Jack, Jr., Ft. Ripley.
John Perlinger, Ft. Ripley.
Samuel D. Schamp, Ft. Ripley.
Wm. H. Blackburn, Ft. Ripley.
E. C. Clute, Ft. Ripley.
Ole Lawson, Ft. Ripley.
C. A. Prentice, Ft. Ripley.
James F. O'Conner, Brainerd.
Joseph Derosier, St. Mathias.
P. J. Flansberg, St. Mathias.
Charles Konde, St. Mathias.
Adam Toutges, St. Mathias.
Albert Fox, West Brainerd.
Otto Reinhart, Brainerd.

DEERWOOD DOINGS

Jottings of Interest from the Hus-
ling Burg on the Cuyuna Iron
Range

Deerwood, Minn., Dec 8—The Methodist Episcopal Ladies Aid society met with Mrs. Charles Adams this afternoon.

The Episcopal Ladies Guild met with Mrs. H. J. Kruse on Tuesday afternoon.

Deerwood is booked for a treat Christmas evening. Ainsworth's orchestra will give a concert in Peterson's hall followed by a dance. Ainsworth's orchestra is one of the best traveling and their concerts are very enjoyable affairs. When it comes to dance music they are right at home and hard to beat. No one who hears them will regret it.

Mrs. James McCarvill was at Brainerd today transacting business this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. McAusland, of Superior, came out Saturday for a brief stay at their cottage on Serpentine lake.

Mrs. R. J. Sewall was at Brainerd Tuesday transacting business and visiting friends.

H. J. Hage, president of the Deerwood State bank, was transacting business in Brainerd Tuesday.

yesterday and today on business, returning on the belated train this afternoon.

F. E. Oberg went to Minneapolis Tuesday afternoon on business.

W. C. White was at Brainerd yesterday and today attending the circuit court and transacting business.

W. D. Edson passed through the city this afternoon enroute home to Duluth from a business trip to Brainerd.

J. A. Stetson, of Duluth, who is spending considerable time at Deerwood, was in Brainerd a couple of days the first of the week.

H. P. Reid, of Hibbing, was here Tuesday night looking after his landed interests and went to Aitkin this afternoon.

J. O. Hage, C. G. Osterlund and Albert Olson went to Brainerd Sunday to attend the Elks' Memorial exercises. Messrs. Hage and Olson returned Monday morning and Messrs. Osterlund and Oberg came back Monday afternoon.

Dr. Reid was in Brainerd Tuesday and Wednesday as a witness before the grand jury, presumably in the Peterson case.

Victor Rakowsky, of Duluth, is in the city today looking after his land and other interests in this section.

The family of Peter Larson is quarantined with diphtheria. None are reported dangerously sick and there is little fear of the disease spreading.

Charles Adams was in Aitkin Friday transacting business.

B. R. Hartman and B. Hassman, were here on business Tuesday.

The reported strike of rich ore near Crosby by the Rogers-Brown Ore company's drills, is confirmed by later reports. It is stated by those in a position to know that the ore found by this company and George H. Crosby at that point guarantee two good mines there just as soon as they can be possibly gotten into operation. Matt Crosby prophesies 10,000 people in the village of Crosby inside of two years.

It is reported that the Northern Pacific properties on section 20 have the scene of some remarkable finds of high grade ore.

Colds and La Grippe Epidemic

Quickly relieved by "Weeks Break-Up-A-Cold Tablets." Chocolate coated, tasteless, pleasant vegetable laxative. No calomel, 25c. Sold by Skauge Drug Co.

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Miss Ella Wood,
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"I Wish That You Was
My Gal, Molly"

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Latest motion pictures

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The Sultan of Mystery

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Catering especially to Ladies and Children

Change of Program
Pictures, Sunday and Thursday
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Prices 10c and 15c

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We are endeavoring to make this store the headquarters for Boys' clothing, by giving them the best value at a moderate expenditure.

The question of durability does not manifest itself to such a degree in a man's suit as it does in that of a boy. Therefore, fabrics and workmanship must be made the one essential requisite, and we are offering you in connection with these two essentials, the newest fabrics and models at the lowest reasonable prices.

Boys' suits, for boys from three to eighteen years of age **\$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 to \$9.00** including our **\$5.00** guaranteed school suits with one extra pair of trousers.

Boys' overcoats for boys from three to sixteen years of age **\$2.25, \$3.00, \$3.50 to \$10.00**

Boys' Fur Collared Overcats for ages from six to sixteen years **\$5.00 to \$10.00**

We can clothe the boy head to foot as completely as we clothe his father

Only 13 more shopping days before Xmas

H. W. LINNEMANN

618 Front St.

Brainerd, Minn.

Subscribe for the Dispatch.

Real Estate Transfers

December 8

Deerwood Improvement Co. to Merton J. Moore and Emma, his wife, wd, part of lot 25, block 14, Deerwood, \$250.

TAKE YOUR Birds and Deer Heads

To ISAAC FRAZER, the only first class Taxidermist in the city.
303 Farrar St., N. E., Minn
Brainerd,

Piles
We are so certain that itching, bleeding and protruding Piles can always be relieved and absolutely cured by the ointment that we positively guarantee satisfaction or money refunded.
Dr. A. W. Chase's Ointment
50 cents a box at all dealers or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y.
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Made in
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Is better than any other
Flour your money can buy.

MAKES the WHITEST Loaf
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MAKES MORE LOAVES to the sack
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Our Special Milling Process works these wonders

Order a sack from your grocer
If he will not supply you
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Patronize this Home Industry because the Hays-Weaver mills are making a better flour than you can buy. Do it Now. Phone 181

These Grocers have our flour in stock:

D. A. Peterson, J. W. Koop, K. W. Lagerquist,
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To the two persons sending us the two neatest correct solutions, we will give EACH, absolutely free, their choice of a

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Among all others sending us correct solutions will be distributed, equally, Song Book3, containing 50 Old Favorite Songs, with words and music. Also credit orders for \$10.00 or more, good as part payment on purchase of a piano.

MAGIC 33 PROBLEM.

CAN YOU SOLVE IT?

	11	

DIRECTIONS: Take any of the numbers from 1 to 17 and place them in the nine squares, or this or a separate sheet of paper, in such a way that the horizontal lines and the vertical columns and the diagonal lines will each make 33. A number cannot be used more than once. All answers must be in my office not later than Tuesday, December 14th, 1909.

In cases of tie premiums of equal value will be given to each. Contest is open to all, regardless of age or sex.

WINNERS WILL BE NOTIFIED BY MAIL

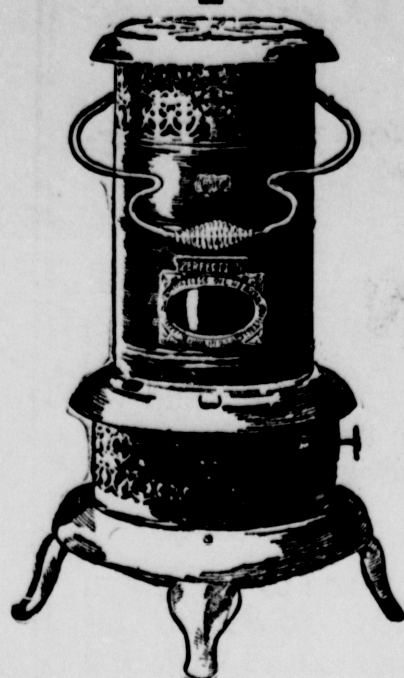
Send in your solution and name and address plainly written—be sure to write plainly—to

Wm. Graham

210 South 6th Street

Brainerd, - - - Minn.

Dispels the Cold



On the north side of the house where wintry blasts vent their fury—in the most exposed room—the transition from shivery cold to welcome warmth is quickly made by the use of the

PERFECTION Oil Heater

(Equipped with Smokeless Device)

Blizzards may rage, snows fly and tempests howl, but warmth and glow are within with the Perfection Oil Heater.

No smoke—no smell—no bother—just real convenience, cheery comfort and coziness. Cleaned in a minute.

Brass font (never rusts) holds 4 quarts—burns 9 hours.

Cool handle—easily carried about from room to room, anywhere. Because of the

Automatic Smokeless Device

you can't turn the wick too high—can't make it smoke—no odor while burning at full head. It is the most durable, efficient and simplest oil heater on the market. Various styles and finishes.

Every Dealer Everywhere. If Not At Yours, Write for Descriptive Circular to the Nearest Agency of the

STANDARD OIL COMPANY
(Incorporated)

WHITE BROS. HARDWARE

Stoves, Ranges, Tinware
Granite Ware, Nickle and
Plated Ware, Sleds and Skates
Cutlery, (Pocket and Table)

Select your Xmas Presents from
our complete selected stock and
you will be more than pleased

616 Laurel St. Brainerd, Minn.

Costly Fire at Kalamazoo.
Kalamazoo, Mich., Dec. 9.—A serious fire in the business district is not yet under control, and aid has been solicited from Battle Creek. It is believed that the flames can be kept from spreading to the Burdick House. Several firemen have been overcome by smoke, but no lives have been lost. The loss may exceed \$100,000.

One Cough

A cough, just a little cough. It may not amount to much. Or, it may amount to everything! Some keep coughing until the lung tissues are seriously injured. Others stop their cough with Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. If he says, "Take it," then take it. If he says, "No," then don't. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

CLEAN-UP SALE

The following goods in our Ware House before the fire, we will now sell at cost.

CONSISTING OF:

98 Heaters and Ranges, 22 Dining Tables,
215 Dining Chairs, 24 Kitchen and Breakfast Tables
50 Large Rocking Chairs, 23 Children Rockers
25 Iron Beds, 250 Mattresses in all Grades
68 Bed Springs, 14 Sanitary Couches.

Nails, 1-2 cents per pound
Rope 5 cents per pound
Stove Pipe 10 cents per joint

Also about \$1500.00 in miscellaneous Hardware and Tinware.

D. M. CLARK & CO

508 Laurel Street

LOGGING HORSES

The South St. Paul Horse Company carries a large stock of horses for logging and lumbering purposes.

These horses are built right and are ACCLIMATED.

Call and see us before buying.

You can save money.

Every Horse Guaranteed.

Time given Responsible Parties.

South St. Paul, Minn.

LURTON'S CHANCES IMPROVE

Nomination for Supreme Court Daily Becoming More Probable.

Washington, Dec. 9.—The nomination of Judge Lurton for the supreme court is daily becoming more probable. To those who have expressed opposition to his choice the president has advanced some cogent reasons in support of his position. He maintains that both of the great political parties shall be represented on the highest judicial tribunal. Justice Peckham's death leaves only two Democrats on that bench, the chief justice and Justice White.

In accordance with all precedent, the president must select a member of his own party for chief justice.

Were a Republican chosen for the present vacancy and another named to succeed Chief Justice Fuller, Justice White would be the only Democrat left. As a matter of fact Mr. Taft has clearly indicated his purpose, should it become necessary for him to appoint a chief justice to make his selection from the New York bar. These arguments have prevailed with those disposed to criticize Judge Lurton's nomination, and the opposition to it is rapidly vanishing.

STOP A MARATHON DANCE

Police Put an End to Performance at Butte.

Butte, Mont., Dec. 9.—After dancing continuously for fourteen hours and forty-one minutes without nourishment or a drink of water three couples out of fifty-three who started in a "marathon" waltz contest were stopped by officers, acting under instructions from Mayor Charles H. Nevin.

Upon advice from city and county physicians six girls had been taken to the hospital, one suffering from a ruptured blood vessel and another being stricken with muscular paralysis. Others of the fair contestants were in pitiable shape.

As hours dragged along the tongues of the girls fairly hung from their mouths and their male companions struggled to keep their partners on their feet.

A fainting girl seemed only to add to the excitement and zest of the 500 spectators in the hall, where two dance hall proprietors had the contest.

TWO MEN COMMIT SUICIDE

One Takes Cyanide of Potassium and the Other Carbolic Acid.

Minneapolis, Dec. 9.—Two men committed suicide in Minneapolis at night. One had been married for two months; the other is unidentified, probably a tramp.

Peter Alden, twenty-seven years old, was found writhing in agony by his young wife at their home, 2796 Twenty-fifth street east. He had swallowed potassium cyanide, one of the strongest poisons known, and died a few moments later. The wife is prostrated and under the care of a physician.

A short time ago Alden underwent an operation and had been in ill health.

An unidentified man walked into the saloon of Jackson & Nylander and without formalities swallowed the contents of a bottle of carbolic acid. Physicians were called and the man was hurried to the city hospital in a patrol wagon. He died just before the hospital was reached.

AWAY GOES ALL KIDNEY TROUBLES

Backache Vanishes and your Kidneys and Bladder Act Fine After a Few Doses

URINARY TROUBLE IS ENDED No Reader of the Dispatch can Afford to Neglect Out-of-Order Kidneys for a Moment

Out-of-order kidneys act fine and backache or bladder misery is relieved after a few doses of Pape's Diuretic.

Pains in the back, sides or loins, rheumatic twinges, debilitating headache, nervousness, dizziness, sleeplessness, inflamed or swollen eyelids, worn-out feeling and many other symptoms of clogged, inactive kidneys simply vanish.

Frequent, painful and uncontrollable urination due to a weak or irritable bladder is promptly overcome.

The moment you suspect any kidney, bladder or urinary disorder, or feel rheumatism coming, begin taking this harmless remedy, with the knowledge that there is no other medicine, at any price, made anywhere else in the world, which will effect so thorough and prompt a cure as a 50-cent treatment of Pape's Diuretic, which any druggist can supply.

This unusual preparation goes direct to the out-of-order kidneys, bladder and urinary system, cleaning, healing and strengthening these organs and glands and completes the cure before you realize it.

A few days treatment with Pape's Diuretic means clean, active, healthy kidneys, bladder and urinary organs—and you feel fine.

Your physician, pharmacist, banker or any mercantile agency will tell you that Pape, Thompson & Pape, of Cincinnati, is a large and responsible medicine concern, thoroughly worthy of your confidence.

Accept only Pape's Diuretic—fifty-cent treatment—from any drug store—anywhere in the world.

EMISSARY STILL IN WASHINGTON

But the Nicaraguan Legation Is Closed.

FAILED TO SEND THE CHECKS

Rumored That Zelaya Did Not Forward Monthly Remittance to His Washington Representative — Reports of a Zelayan Victory Over Insurgent Army Near Rama Without Foundation.

Washington, Dec. 9.—The Nicaraguan legation here is no more. Big vans have carried off the furniture and the other appurtenances of the house in O street where President Zelaya's representatives once were domiciled. A "for rent" sign ornaments the front lawn and drawn curtains and an air of desolation greet the caller, while no servant hastens to answer a ring at the bell. In addition it is the gossip in Central American circles that the Zelayan government has not sent the monthly checks to its legation, an oversight that is said to be sorely felt by the legation force.

Senor Rodriguez, the special emissary of Zelaya, through whom Secretary Knox's sharp note was conveyed to the Nicaraguan government, is still in Washington. It was said by a former attaché of the legation that the furniture had been stored until the present situation cleared and that it was the property of the government. It was indignantly denied that the legation had been driven from its quarters because of the failure of the Nicaraguan government to meet the monthly rent bills.

Word was received here that the reports of a Zelayan victory over the insurgent army near Rama was without the slightest foundation. It was declared that there had been no fighting in the past few days.

"It is the lull before the storm," said a Central American diplomat. "In a few days we will hear of a battle and it will be a decisive one, provided the Estrada forces are victorious. If they are not then they will fall back to fight again."

Senor Castrillo, the representative of the revolutionists here, received a cablegram from Bluefields and signed Estrada, stating that all indications were that a decisive battle between Zelaya's forces and the revolutionists would be fought soon at Rama.

TO BE AGAIN EXONERATED

President Taft Will Denounce Critics of Ballinger.

Washington, Dec. 9.—A second executive exoneration of Secretary Ballinger will be forthcoming in the special message on conservation which President Taft promised in his annual message.

The president has secured the promises of Speaker Cannon and Senator Aldrich that all attempts to procure an investigation of the Cunningham Coal company and the general land office will be held up until after the special message has been received.

The first day of congress saw a resolution calling for an investigation introduced in the house and it was referred to the committee on rules, where it can be trusted to slumber peacefully until "Uncle Joe" gives the word for its release.

The president's special message will go into the so called Pinchot-Ballinger controversy and the Glavis charges fully and will denounce the secretary's critics.

Insurgent senators say that if President Taft hopes to stop an investigation by his message he is mistaken.

MURDERERS UNDER ARREST

Men Who Killed Milwaukee Girl Captured.

Milwaukee, Dec. 9.—The murderers of Hattie Zinda, the fourteen-year-old girl who was assaulted and murdered Nov. 12, have been caught and are now prisoners in the central police station.

The men are Karl Wojciechowski, thirty-six years old, and Adam Pietrzyk, twenty-six years old.

These men were arrested at Blaney, Mich., by Detective Eugene O'Gorman and Policeman Bernard Ronowski.

In the central police station Adam Pietrzyk made a full confession, also implicating Wojciechowski, which was given out by the police.

The story is full of revolting details, and Pietrzyk told of the brutal assault on little Hattie Zinda.

Kermitt Snoots Three Bongo.

Nairobi, E. E. A., Dec. 9.—Kermitt Roosevelt arrived here from his hunting expedition in the Mau forest and in Kilva and after a few hours' rest set out for Mombasa on a hunt for sable. Young Roosevelt had exceptionally good luck in the Mau forest and bagged two cow bongo and one bull.

Town Threatened by Fire.

Plummer, Minn., Dec. 9.—Plummer had a narrow escape from being destroyed by fire when a high wind was blowing. The entire stock of J. C. Schmitz & Co., general merchants, was burned at a loss of \$13,000.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Brainerd for the week ending December 10, 1909. When calling for these letters, please say "advertised."

Abbot, Mrs. H.
Alta, Hiska.
Bacon, E. P.
Finn, Bert.
Cossette, Geo. (3)
Johnson, C. P.
Liman, J. C.
Meyers Margaret Louise.
Mushatt, W. A.
Miller, Rueben.
Witzel, Miss Agnes.
Nilsson, Robert.
Payne, Lillian Black Mrs.
Peterson, Miss Gusta.
Schuerdt, Henry G.
Thomas, Dr. J. A.
Zladet, Miss Milja.
N. H. INGERSOLL, P. M.

Forced into Exile
Wm. Upchurch of Glen Oak, Okla., was an exile from home. Mountain air he thought would cure a frightful lungcracking cough that had defied remedies for two years. After months he returned, death his steps. "Then I began King's New Discovery," "and after taking six I well as ever." It is yearly from desperate lung ailments for Coughs and cures Grip, Bronchitis, Hemorrhage, Asthma, Croup, Whooping Cough, 50c and \$1.00, trial bottle free, guaranteed by H. P. Dunn. tts-v

CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION

ATKIN LAND COMPANY
Know all men by these presents, that we, whose names are hereto subscribed, have agreed and do hereby agree to form a corporation under Chapter 58, of the Revised Laws of 1905, of the State of Minnesota, and for that purpose do hereby subscribe and acknowledge the following Certificate of Incorporation:

Article I.
The name of this corporation shall be **Atkin Land Company**, and the general nature of its business shall be to buy, sell, let, lease, plat, improve and develop lands, tenements and hereditaments in the State of Minnesota or elsewhere. To prospect for, locate, acquire by discovery, purchase, lease, license, option, franchise, grant, gift, devise or otherwise, and hold, possess, enjoy, develop, mine, work, operate and exploit mines, minerals, lands, claims and mineral rights in the State of Minnesota or elsewhere, and to construct and maintain such plants as are necessary to such business and to do a general mining business. The principal place of the transaction of the business of this corporation shall be Deerwood, Crow Wing County, State of Minnesota.

Article II.
The time of the commencement of this corporation shall be December 1st, 1909, and the period of its continuance shall be thirty (30) years.

Article III.
The names and place of residence of the persons forming this association for the purpose of incorporation are James A. Ferguson, Daniel Waite and William D. Edson, all residing in the City of Duluth, Minnesota.

Article IV.
The management of this corporation and the conduct of its affairs shall be vested in a board of three (3) directors, who shall all be stockholders, and who shall be elected at the annual meeting of this corporation, to be held on the first Tuesday of April of each year, the first annual meeting to be held in the year 1910. The names and addresses of the persons composing the Board of Directors until the first election are as follows: James A. Ferguson, Daniel Waite, and William D. Edson, all of Duluth, Minnesota.

Any vacancies, either in the Board of Directors or other offices of the company, occurring at any time, may be filled by vote of the Board of Directors until the next regular election.

Article V.
The amount of capital stock of this corporation shall be Fifty Thousand (\$50,000) Dollars, divided into Five Thousand (5000) shares of Ten (\$10) Dollars each, to be paid for in cash or its equivalent, as called for by the Board of Directors.

Article VI.
The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which this corporation shall be subject shall be Fifty Thousand (\$50,000) Dollars.

In Testimony Whereof, we have hereunto set our hands and seals, this 9th day of August, in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Nine (1909).

Signed and Sealed,
JAMES A. FERGUSON, (Seal)
DANIEL WAITE, (Seal)
WILLIAM D. EDSON, (Seal)

In presence of,
W. K. McLENNAN,
GEO. S. HIGGINS, (Seal)
FRANK A. EDSON, (Seal)
CUTLER ADAMS, (Seal)

State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis, ss.

On this 14th day of August, A. D. 1909, before me, a Notary Public, within and for said County, personally appeared James A. Ferguson and Daniel Waite to me well known to be the same persons described in and who executed the foregoing Certificate of Incorporation as incorporators, and they acknowledged that they executed the same as their free act and deed, for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

Notary Public, St. Louis County, Minn., My Commission Expires February 7, 1914.

State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis, ss.

On this 24th day of August, A. D. 1909, before me, a Notary Public, within and for said County, personally appeared William D. Edson to me well known to be the same person described in and who executed the foregoing Certificate of Incorporation as incorporator and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed, for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

Notary Public, St. Louis Co., Minn., My commission expires Dec. 3rd, 1911.

State of Minnesota, County of Crow Wing, ss.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record this 25th day of Nov. A. D. 1909 at 9 o'clock A. M. and was duly recorded in Book 3 of Incorporations on page 353.

A. G. TROMMALD, Register of Deeds.

(Seal)

State of Minnesota, Department of State.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 24 day of November, A. D. 1909 at 11 o'clock A. M. and was duly recorded in Book 3 of Incorporations on page 201.

JULIUS A. SCHMAHL, Secretary of State.

Dec. 812

BRAINERD OPERA HOUSE

Curtain 8:15
Frank G. Hall Manager

Friday, Dec. 10th
At 8 O'clock

A Lecture on
CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

BY

Hon. C. C. Eaton

of the Christian Science Board of Lectureship.

All Seats Free!

Cordially Invited.

Purchased by Oil Trust.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Nov. 27.—J. W. Crawford, president, and C. T. Hiteshow, secretary and treasurer of the North Fork Oil company, returned home from Chicago and announced the sale of the company's property in the Illinois oil fields to the Ohio Oil company, a branch of the Standard Oil company, for \$1,250,000.

TAILORED SUITS
Made to order, Coats relined, and all kinds of Dressmaking at reasonable rates. Mrs. Richard Ahrens
CALE BLOCK, 7th Street South.
Over Mann's Grocery Store.

WANTS

Notices under this head will be charged for at the rate of one cent a word for the first insertion and one-half a cent a word for each subsequent insertion, strictly cash in advance, but no ad will be taken for less than fifteen cents.

HELP WANTED.

GIRL WANTED—At the Windsor hotel. 149tf

WANTED—A woman cook at the Antlers hotel at once. 156t4

WANTED—A laundry girl and a dish washer at the National hotel. 160t3

WANTED—A young man to take a paper route. On salary or commission. Boyd's. 1583tts

WANTED—A housekeeper. Inquire at Meyer Bros. studio, corner 6th and Laurel streets. 157t2p

WANTED—A place to work for board and go to school by girl of 15. Inquire 809 Ivy street. 158t3p

WANTED—A good girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. W. H. Gemmell, 97 Bluff Avenue. 154t3

WANTED—First class Molders and Pattern makers for Architectural Iron Works. Only good men need apply. Flour City Ornamental Iron Works, Minneapolis, Minn. 154t6d

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—One Jewel Range. 118 3rd Ave. 152t3

FOR SALE—A good young horse. Inquire 325 5th St. S. 155tf

FOR SALE OR LEASE—Paper Route in N. E. Brainerd also one in S. E. Brainerd. Boyd's. ttst3

FOR SALE—Portland cutter, almost new and string of bells. H. T. Skinner, 422, 4th Ave. N. E. 157t6

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Furnished room in the Mahlum block. 159t4

FOR RENT—Furnished flat for light housekeeping. Enquire at Mrs. J. K. Pearce's millinery store. 142tf

FOR RENT—The Palace hotel after the Fifteenth. For further information inquire of J. S. Gardner, 418 6th St. South. 153t6p

MISCELLANEOUS.

FOUND—A bay mare in S. E. Brainerd, weight about 950 pounds, right hind leg swollen. Inquire of Henry Harris, 1605 Pine St. 155tf